

12245 E. Lake Shore RD

Clinton WI 53525

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Dave Navecky

Surface Transportation Board

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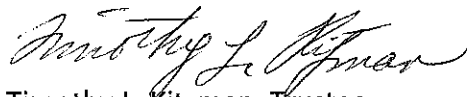
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Sir:

I am writing in opposition to the Great Lakes Basin Transportation, Inc. proposed rail line through Rock County for the following reasons:

- Loss of farmland-some of the best soil in the world
- Cuts up productive farms
- Disrupts local transportation network by closing numerous roads
- Greater exposure to potentially hazardous shipments
- Noise from trains

Our farm is located 2 miles from the proposed crossing at Lake Shore Road, Clinton Township, Rock County WI.



Timothy L. Kitzman, Trustee

Glen & Donna Kitzman Living Trust